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Name: Michael D. Garner  
Application No: 10/714,241  
Date: January 2006  
Title: Car Regulating Thermostat

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This Letter is in reference to my patent which they said was abandoned. I apologize for not contacting you about my patent. I was doing it on time it's just that they said I didn't put enough information on the letter so they said they didn't know what I was talking about. I have proof that I sent it to them before the deadline, it's just that they didn't know the patent number, so they cashed my extension check and I didn't hear from no one till January 2006. Now this was August, 2005. I have been working on this for 3 years now and I've been disappointed every time. This is my first time doing something like this and I wouldn't have abandoned it on purpose. Please have mercy on me and revival my patent. I have no more money because I don't have a Job, I'm in school. Please help me. Enclosed you will find a copy of the mail receipt showing that I sent it on time, just that due to an error of not having my number, that didn't process it. I spoke to Mr. Norman, and he said that all they had to do is get the number and the request would've been on time, but that was after the fact. Please give me another chance and revive my patent so that it can be approved. I will not let this happen again. Thank you for your time and patience's.

Sincerely,



Michael D. Garner

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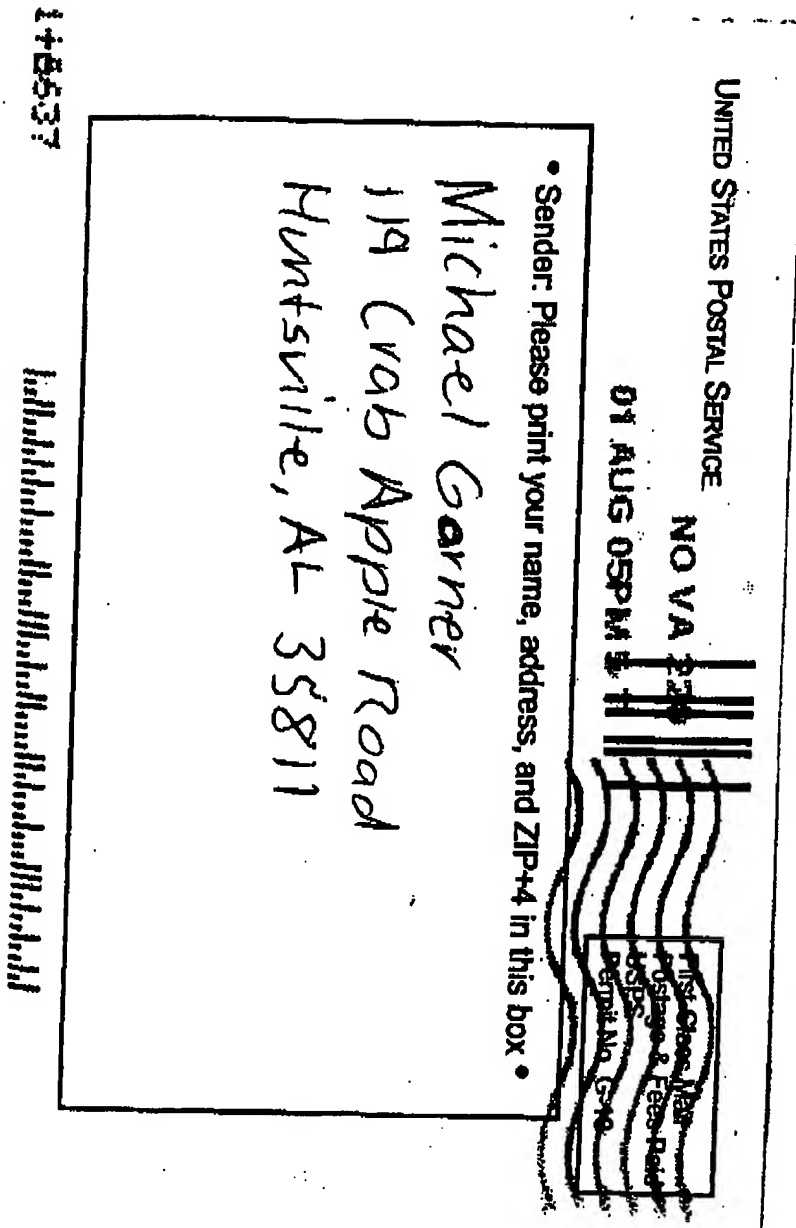
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